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Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth St., SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: WC Docket Nos. 02-202, 02-304, 02-317, 02-319, 02-340, Security Deposit Tariffs

WC Docket No. 02-112, Section 272(f)(1) Sunset

Dear Ms. Dortch.

On December 13th, Richard Whitt and Alan Buzacott of WorldCom, Inc. (WorldCom) met with Sam Feder, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Kevin J. Martin, to discuss the Commission's investigations of LEC security deposit tariffs. The attached presentation formed the basis of the discussion. Furthermore, WorldCom noted that accelerated payment schedules are burdensome to customers and that shortened notice periods provide the incumbent LECs with excessive leverage. The broad application of such measures, particularly the application of such measures to customers that have no history of significant payment discrepancies, would not be reasonable.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, this letter is being provided for inclusion in the record of the above-referenced proceedings.

Sincerely,

/s/ Alan Buzacott

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Attachment

cc: Sam Feder